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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: James E. Dahlberg, *et al.*
Serial No.: 10/740,256 Group No.: 1632
Filed: 12/18/2003 Examiner: Babic
Entitled: Detection of Small Nucleic Acids

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

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Total Claims	51	-	31	20	X	50.00	\$1000.00
Independent Claims	2	-	2	0	X	200.00	\$0.00

SUBTOTAL DUE

\$1000.00

Small Entity 50% Filing Fee Reduction \$500.00

TOTAL DUE

\$500.00

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